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E.O. 12356: DECL: OADR

TAGS: PREL PGOV MOPS OTRA OAU RW TZ FR

SUBJECT: ARUSHA BOUND?

REF: (A) 92 KIGALI 5027, (B) 92 KIGALI 5023

1. C - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. SUMMARY: ALTHOUGH FOREIGN MINISTER NGULINZIRA
NEGLECTED TO INFORM EITHER THE RPF OR THE TANZANIAN
MEDIATORS THAT HE HAD INVITED THE POLITICAL PARTIES TO

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MEET WITH THE RPF IN ARUSHA DECEMBER 11, BOTH HAVE AGREED TO THE MEETING. AMBASSADOR BRYNN MAY DEPART FOR ARUSHA DECEMBER 8, STOPPING IN PARIS AND KIGALI FOR CONSULTATIONS, AND ARRIVING ARUSHA DECEMBER 12. END SUMMARY.

3. ACCORDING TO THOMAS MUNYEZA, RWANDAN AMBASSADOR TO DAR ES SALAAM, FOREIGN MINISTER NGULINZIRA SENT A LETTER SOMETIME LAST WEEK TO THE 5 PARTIES IN THE COALITION GOVERNMENT, INVITING THEM TO ARUSHA TO MEET WITH THE RPF DECEMBER 11. MUNYEZA EXPRESSED SURPRISE THAT THIS INFORMATION WAS JUST COMING TO LIGHT NOW. IT APPEARS HOWEVER THAT NGULINZIRA NEGLECTED TO INFORM EITHER THE RPF OR THE TANZANIAN MEDIATORS. WHEN CONTACTED BY EMBASSY POLOFF, ROBERT BENTLEY, PATRICK MAZIMPAKA CONFIRMED THAT THE RPF WOULD NOT OBJECT TO THE MEETING AS LONG AS IT IS NOT SUBSTITUTED FOR THE DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE GOR. FOR THE TANZANIAN SIDE, MPUNGWE CONFIRMED THAT HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD WELCOME THE MEETING AS WELL.

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4. MPUNGWE AND TANZANIAN FOREIGN MINISTER DIRIA WILL FLY TO KIGALI TUESDAY MORNING TO DETERMINE FIRST-HAND WHY THE POLITICAL IMPASSE CONTINUES. THEY ARE CARRYING A LETTER FROM PRESIDENT MWINYI WHO IS FRUSTRATED WITH THE LACK OF PROGRESS SINCE HABYARIMANA'S VISIT TO DAR A WEEK AGO. THE LETTER ASKS THE RWANDAN PRESIDENT TO THINK OF THE FUTURE OF HIS COUNTRY AND TO COME UP WITH A SET OF NEGOTIATING INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE FM. THE DELEGATION WILL ALSO PRESENT A VERBAL BRIEF THAT THE TANZANIANS CONSIDER THE BISHOPS' PROPOSAL ON POWER SHARING IN THE CABINET A REASONABLE BASIS ON WHICH TO PROCEED.

5. PENDING KIGALI'S FINAL RECOMMENDATION (PER PARA 5 REF A), AMBASSADOR BRYNN IS SET TO DEPART WASHINGTON DECEMBER 8, STOPPING IN PARIS AND KIGALI FOR CONSULTATIONS AND ARRIVING ARUSHA DECEMBER 12. PROPOSED TRAVEL ITINERARY FOLLOWS:

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1755 DEP WASHINGTON VIA TWA 894

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0720 ARR PARIS (CONSULTATIONS)
18:30 DEP PARIS VIA AF 2928
19:25 ARR BRUSSELS
22:30 DEP BRUSSELS VIA SB 561

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1320 DEP KIGALI VIA AIR KENYA 473
1715 ARR NAIROBI

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AM DEP NAIROBI FOR ARUSHA VIA DHL BUS

6. FOR PARIS: BRYNN'S TRAVEL WILL BE CONFIRMED OR
CANCELED BY PHONE DECEMBER 8. REQUEST YOU MAKE ONLY
TENTATIVE APPOINTMENTS.

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